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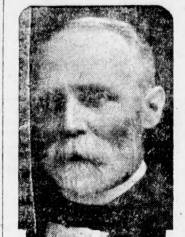
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## ALBERTA CROP REPORT IS VERY FAVORABLE

WINNIPEG.—Indications are that the crop yield in such of the prairie provinces will be better than average, reports the Canadian Pacific Agricultural Department, the crop continuing to develop satisfactorily. Rain has been fairly widespread the past week, and hail took toll of the crops in southwest Saskatchewan and Southern Alberta, but damage in the aggregate was small when total acreage is taken into consideration. All grain is now in head and many fields of rye and barley are about ready for the binder, cutting having already begun in a few instances. There is little evidence of rust in the West. Summer plowing operations are well advanced, and the general condition is quite good, owing to the fact that farmers have cultivated for weeks in some districts as often as three or four times. Cattle are doing exceptionally well, the demand and price being good. Grass is abundant and an ample supply of winter feed is assured.

Reports from Alberta are consistently favorable, and crops should reveal interesting returns. Spring wheat and barley cutting will commence about August 18th, and should be general a week or so later. Parts of Northern Alberta will benefit from rain, despite the fact there has been so much in the south. No crops are suffering from disease or pest in reported. Livestock are in good condition, and markets are good except for horses. At Hirtle's it is estimated that crop over strip 2 miles by 5 has been damaged 50% at Seven Persons, 1,000 acres 25%. On the Lacombe subdivision at Camerton, a strip of 2½ miles wide by 15 miles long has been damaged from 70% to 100%.



MAY BE THE LIFE OF ALL CANADA

## Coming Events

Hirtle's Theatre, Saturday, August 18th, 'Wings'.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. McKee, on Thursday, August 23, at 2 p.m.

Old Time Barn Dance Wednesday, August 22, at Emil Matichuk's, Nampa (Green No. 2 Farm). Bands of orchestra, starts 11:00, ladies 50c, supper included.

Hirtle's Theatre, Friday Night, August 17th, W. C. Field and Chester Conklin in 'Tillies Punctured Bump'.

Big Barn Dance, at Mr. Bollick's, Barn, Standard, on Friday, August 17, Miss Amy Conroy, Public Health Nurse, will be in Strathmore from August 20th to September 1st, for the purpose of giving lectures on Home Nursing and First Aid.

## CONDITIONS IN CANADA WERE NEVER BETTER

REGINA.—Conditions in Canada were never better than they are today, declared Premier R. H. Borden, when he was in Regina. "I am delighted with the prosperity of Western Canada as evident on every hand," continued the premier. "The spirit of optimism greets me wherever I visit and when your present crop, which promises to be a record one, is harvested I look for even improved conditions, if all goes well."

The prosperity is not sectional, confined solely to Western Canada, but it is general throughout the length and breadth of Canada, the premier stated.

New Era for Canada.

"Favorable trade balances, flourishing coalitions in the eastern manufacturing districts, as well as the rapid opening up of the north country all combine with conditions prevailing here to promise a new era for the Dominion," the premier declared.

## THE WONDERFUL PICTURE 'WINGS' AT HIRTLE'S THEATRE

"Wings" the wonderful aviation picture that is playing at Hirtle's Theatre Saturday, August 18th, is an entirely different picture. It is a picture of the aeroplane, this modern invention to build up his dramatic action, and indeed he has succeeded. The operator is thrilled throughout the entire picture. It is difficult for one to describe the thrills one feels in the sight of one plane attacking another plane, one group of planes attacking another group, diving and falling to the earth in flames. They are magnificent sights. In fact, so magnificent, so impressive and so thrilling that it is doubtful if one could feel more excited even if one were to watch the aerial airplane battles. This Road-show picture will be playing in Strathmore one day only. This company carries with it its own director and crew, and it is with a carload of special sound effects. These effects are so wonderful, so impressive and so realistic that one actually thinks the aeroplanes and machine guns are right out in front of one, doing battle. It is difficult for one to really describe how natural and realistic the wonderful production is. The only way to satisfy one's self as to the superiority of this masterpiece is to see it. For one's self at Hirtle's Theatre Saturday only, August 18th.

## INDIAN TRIBES PLAN FIGHT TO SEEK FREEDOM

CLEVELAND.—The Indians—at least a part of the race of redskins—are on the warpath again and are demanding their independence.

Plans for a legal battle have been made by Chief Thunderwater, here thirty chieftains of the Sioux, Pawnee and other bands of the Indian tribes of the United States and Canada.

Delegates from many tribes met at Thunderwater's home here, following action of the Six Nations at Brantford, Ont., severing all connections with the Canadian government and proclaiming themselves as independent and autonomous nation.

But Thunderwater would not say what his immediate plans were, except that he would go to Chicago to consult the services of Clarence Burrow, noted attorney.

## Virtual Prisoners

"The time has passed," Thunderwater says, "when we can deal with the Indian bureau of either the Canadian or American governments. We shall ignore them and defy them in all future activities."

"We propose to demand of the government to show cause why it should not respect provisions of the treaties with our people, all of which guarantee absolute independence for the red man."

The Indian leaders have maintained that he is not a subject of Great Britain or of any other government. In this country, the government has forced a meaningless citizenship upon us, and we continue to live in a state of virtual prisoners.

"The Indian does not want that citizenship. He wants his rights. These rights were promised in treaties with both English and American governments. We have won our first battle in the courts with the decision that there exists no international boundary line so far as Indians are concerned. Now we strike again. "Once the right of the Indian to complete self-rule is upheld by the courts, the government will be asked

## THE CONSERVATIVES MAY NAME NEW LEADER

OTTAWA, Ont.—Hon. W. B. Ross, Conservative Senate leader who has been seriously ill at his home in Halifax, is recovering but is not expected to retain his party's leadership in the second chamber. At the close of last session he intimated to his supporters his intention to resign. At that time there was considerable discussion among the Conservative Senators as to his successor but no definite decision was made.

Among those who have been mentioned for the leadership are Senator J. D. Black, J. A. Calder, Leonard McLean, W. H. Willoughby, and G. T. Robinson. It is probable the final choice will be either Senator Calder or Senator McLean. Both are western representatives, the former from Saskatchewan and the latter from Manitoba. For two sessions there has been a clear division among Conservative Senators on more advanced legislation and this division will be carried into the selection of a new leader.

## STATHMORE STAMPEDE DONATIONS 1928

White & Son, \$5.00; Hughes Motors, \$5.00; King Edward Hotel, \$10.00; King Edward Grill, \$5.00; R. Hamby, \$5.00; A. W. McKee, \$5.00; M. A. Hitting, \$5.00; The Strathmore Hotel, \$5.00; M. S. Hirtle, \$5.00; T. E. Wright, \$5.00; A. D. Strathmore, \$5.00; T. Gately, \$5.00; Strathmore Restaurant, \$5.00; A. A. Moore, \$5.00; Strathmore Hotel, \$5.00. Total \$85.00.

## RUSSIA RAISING BIG LOTTERY LOAN

MOSCOW, Russia.—Finance Minister Bruckanoff discouraged by prospects of obtaining credits abroad, announced today an internal lottery loan of 500,000,000 roubles (\$250,000,000), the largest single piece of financing in the history of the Soviet government.

The loan is for ten years. Part of it bears interest at 6 per cent. In addition to what is due in the lottery, part is without interest but with the prospect of greater lottery prizes for holders of lucky numbers.

Nearly 2,000,000 roubles are to be distributed in the lottery, ranging from 100 roubles (\$50) to 5,000 roubles (\$2,500). Total prizes were worth more than 200,000,000 roubles (\$100,000,000).

## RECTOR HAS 'COMFY' PLACE FOR WORSHIP

EASTWELL, Ky.—Men smoking pipes and women nursing their babies or rocking perambulators, while they wait to church services, will be seen here soon.

Canon Halloran, the rector of Eastwell, has announced that he will conduct a series of Sunday afternoon services on the rectory lawn at which men may smoke and to which women are asked to bring their babies.

Parking space, said the Canon, will also be provided for motorcars.

## BLAZING RABBIT SETS PRAIRIE FIRE

PIERRE, S.D.—A prairie fire in the southern part of the state was spread over several fields by a cotton-tailed rabbit. It is said that the rabbit was stirred from its nest by fire fighters, who were contending with a thistle fire. The rabbit ran through some burning grass. It was caught fire, and running wildly ablaze, it darted in and out of various grass growths, starting at numerous points other fires which caused considerable damage to farmers. The rabbit dropped in its tracks, burned to death.

## STATHMORE SCHOOL NOTES AND EXAM RESULTS



WOMAN'S LONG THOUGHT

Mrs. Diana Strickland, a big game hunter, returned to London a few days ago after an adventurous 5,000-mile trip across Africa in a motor car. One thousand miles of the journey, which extended from Dakar in French Senegal, to her Red Sea, was completed as her mechanic, Mr. T. Perry, had to return to England through illness, and the other member of the party, Mr. Farnie, died of black-water fever.

## Married At Granum On Tuesday

On Tuesday, August 14th, the marriage of Kathleen, second daughter of F. Matheson, to A. W. McKee, took place at the home of the bride's father at Granum.

The happy young couple will spend their honeymoon in Montana, British Columbia.

To the popular young druggist and his bride, Strathmore people will join in extending their best wishes for future happiness and prosperity.

Upon their return from their honeymoon, they will take up their residence in the home recently occupied by Mr. T. E. Wright.

## INITIAL POOL PAYMENT \$1.00

Initial payment to members of the Alberta Wheat Pool will be on a basis of \$1 a bushel of carbon lots, laid down at the price of Vancouver, according to an announcement made on Tuesday by pool officials.

This is on the same scale as the 1927 payment.

The \$1 a bushel is on the No. 1 Northern wheat while the same payment, that has been made during the last three years will apply in the cases of No. 2 and 3 Northern. There is a little difference in the other grades as compared with previous years.

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The following units of the High School division will be taught this year in the Strathmore School: First year (IX): Literature 1, composition 1, history 1, general science, algebra 1, French 1; Second year (X): Literature 2, composition 2, history 2, physics 1, algebra 1, French 1, geometry 1, Latin 2; Third year (XI): Literature 3, composition 3, history 3, physics 1, geometry 2, arithmetic, geography 2, Latin 2.

French 3 will be taught out of school hours to any pupils desiring it, and who have credit for French 1 and 2. The necessity for those who wish to go to university or to become High School teachers of having credit for Latin and French cannot be too strongly stressed. Many of our High School graduates find themselves badly handicapped later on by reason of the fact that they are deficient in the language courses.

Thirty-nine students have already announced their intention of enrolling at the High School this year.

Public school pupils having supplementary examinations to write should be in the school on Tuesday, August 14, at 9 a.m. on Friday, August 21.

School reports on building, September 4th.

A list of books necessary for this year's work follows. Pupils will greatly facilitate the work of the year by early purchase of the books listed.

Following are the texts needed for High School year 1928-29:

First year (Grade IX):

Literature—Prose, Selections for First Year, Service; Poetry, Selections for First Year, Service; Tennyson, "Poems"; Hawthorne, "Wonder Book"; Browning, "Book of Cranford, Prose and Verse".

Composition—"A New Composition for Secondary Schools".

Algebra—"High School Algebra", Canadian edition.

General Science—"Caldwell & Elkemberg General Science".

French—"Franz & Squair New Elementary French Grammar"; Cran's "Graduated French Reader".

Second Year (Grade X):

Literature—Prose, Dickens, "A Tale of Two Cities"; Poetry, Shakespeare, "Merchant of Venice"; Scott, "Lays of the Last Minstrel"; Selections for the First Year, Series II; Scott, "The Talcott"; Parke, "Seas of the Night"; Tennyson, Selections from the Lytle, "The Coming of Arthur", "The Holy Grail".

Composition—"Gordon, 'A New Composition for Secondary Schools'".

History—"Mowat, 'A History of Great Britain'".

Physics—"Merchand & Chant, 'Ontario's High School Physics (Revised Edition)'".

Geometry—"Manual in Geometry", Geometry—Baker, "Theoretical Geometry for Schools".

Latin—"Latin Primer"; Tennyson, Shakespeare, "Julius Caesar"; Tennyson, Browning & Representative Short Poems, Series II; Petrarca, "David Copperfield"; Tolstoy, "Bartholomew"; Longfellow, "Evangeline".

Composition—"Gordon, 'A New Composition for Secondary Schools'"; "Gordon's High School Grammar".

History—"Grant, 'A History of Canada'".

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CANADA

## FAMEL BALL

Winnipeg reporter, who came within an ace of winning a world's championship in the Olympic games, and was one of the Canadian surprises.

## KING SOLOMON WAS BREEDER OF DOUGHBREDS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Evidence that King Solomon, bred pure-blooded horses for the chariot trade, as stated in the Bible, is now uncovered for the eyes of archaeologists.

P. L. O. Gay, field director of an expedition of the University of Chicago, has reported the discovery of the famous stables of Solomon at Amman, Palestine. The 2,000-year-old stables cover half an acre of the ancient battle site near Jerusalem, Mr. Gay reported.

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### WHAT GENE SAYS OF THE HEAVIES

NEW YORK—Gene Tunney's estimate of the leading contenders for his heavyweight crown follows:

Jack Sharkey—He certainly will have a chance to prove he's as good as he was that night against Delaney.

Tony Luchini—"He's a nice boy and has a fine personality, but that won't carry him far among the big tough heavyweights."

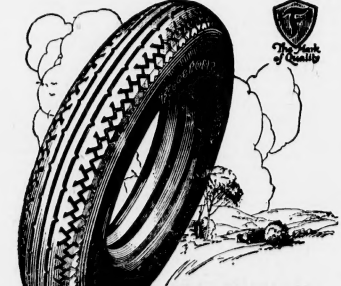
Phil Scott—"He's likely to be dangerous, because he's improving all the time."

Knute Hansen—"He may go some place if he can keep up the work he showed against Phil Scott."

Harold Mayo (Tunney's sparring partner for three years)—Watch him; he's going to be heard from within 12 years."

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## SPORT NOTES

### BLITMAN AFTER FEATHERWEIGHT FIGHT HONORS

NEW YORK—Harry Blitman is across the path of Tony Canzoneri, world's featherweight champion.

Practically unknown a month ago, Blitman is now the leading challenger for the 126-pound championship. Through along cautiously by Max Baer (Box 100) Hoff, Blitman surprised the fight world when he defeated Canzoneri in a 10-round bout at catchweights before 15,000 persons in the Philadelphia National League baseball park on the night of June 27.

Only the indecision of Stanny Goldstein, Canzoneri's manager, that the fight be at catch weights saved the little Brooklyn Italian's title for him. Weighing 125 pounds two months over the divisional weight limit, Blitman gave Canzoneri a sound thrashing, winning the judge's decision.

"From messenger to conqueror," featherweight champion, is Hoff's own title to the story of Blitman's career. Three years ago Blitman was a delivery boy for his father's tailor shop.

Once Junior Flyweight. While a student Central High School in Philadelphia, young Blitman took up amateur boxing and became so proficient that he won the national junior flyweight championship in his senior year.

Oddly enough, Blitman liked school, but he had to come to terms with boxing and he decided to give up his studies to enter upon a professional boxing career. He made his debut as a professional against Eddie Covington at Atlantic City, N. J., July 23, 1925.

Then followed a long string of victories, including a knockout rampage in which Blitman fought Jack Deino, Scotty McDonald, Rocco Risio, Ray Wagon and Tony Luchini. Blitman's first real test came in his eighteenth bout when he met Dave Adelman, who at that time had just been proclaimed flyweight champion. Pennsylvania by the boxing commission of that state, Blitman knocked out Adelman in the second round.

Al Corbett, of Cleveland, stopped Blitman's winning streak by holding the Philadelphia boy to a draw on August 24, 1927. Blitman's next fight, October 4, Blitman knocked out Corbett in one round.

### Never Defeated

It was on December 14, 1927, that Blitman really started his rise to stardom. Johnny Kilbane had a promising young featherweight in Blitman who was being ground for the title shot, but Blitman upset Datto out of the picture by knocking him in one round at Youngstown, Ohio.

Five days later Blitman knocked out Jose Lombardo, and then came another career match, his thirty-one out bout with Pete Nabo. Two losses and four draws the Philadelphia scene to see the bout and as many more were turned away. Blitman won the decision, and a few weeks later Nabo held Canzoneri to a draw. Blitman broke his hand in the Nabo bout and was laid up for several months, but returned to the ring on March 26, defeating Johnny Farr of Cleveland in 10 rounds at Hollywood, Calif.

In less than two years Blitman has fought his way up from the ranks of the amateurs to the commanding position among the featherweight contenders. Another bout, with the title at stake, is inevitable between Canzoneri and Blitman. The smiling Hebrew-American boy like his fellow townsmen, Lew Tendler, is a south-paw. Blitman has engaged in 38 matches, won 25, fought one draw and never has been defeated. He has 14 knockouts to his credit.

### "MILLIONAIRE" PLAYERS STILL PLAY BASEBALL

CHICAGO—Salaries as paid out by the major league magnates hold their attraction for the vast majority of the players in the American and National Leagues, but to a much smaller group is the lure of a play the game at the highest level and the desire for added wealth.

There is the case of Frank Frisch, the St. Louis Cardinal captain and second baseman, who could profit well if he would but follow the footsteps of his wealthy father, who is in the linen importing business in New York. But Frank prefers to dance around second base.

And there is Tyron Raymond Cobb, the "Georgia Peach," now roaming the outer gardens for the Philadelphia Athletics. Cobb was one of the first of the diamond stars to become known as wealthy, acquiring his money

through a few lucky or wise plays on the stock market and careful hoarding of his five-figure salary.

Tris Speaker and Eddie Collins, also of the Athletics, likewise have prospered, and are in a position to retire at any time.

George Barnshaw, the Athletics' pitcher, acquired from Baltimore, is a rich man, but he would much rather face the Yankees than live in the luxury of his wealth.

Percy Lee Jones, Chicago Cubs southpaw, set, left heir to a small fortune, and on his next appearance in the box, the Pittsburgh Pirates drove him from the mound. Jones might be able to retire on his inheritance, but he could not resist the Pirates.

Smaller Al Mamaux inherited a little fortune from the estate of his grandfather and added it to his income from baseball and stage work to become one of baseball's richest players. The team of Mamaux and Jess Purdy, the latter a Brooklyn pitcher, went over his on the Pittsburgh club.

One of the titled players of the game was "Tillie" Schaefer, the famous fortune hunter married to a New York Giants. "Tillie" was known to be independently wealthy and consequently was the target for numerous such notes.

The story is told that Metcalf would not let any of the rough ball players go to Tillie, saying that it was his privilege to give the wealthy wife of his son-in-law. That led Tillie Meyer to call Schaefer a "prima donna ball player."

"Tillie" was a prima donna ball player," said the Chief, bitterly, one day.

"And you," replied the urbane Tillie, "are a hard eater."

The ball players contended that Meyer, who was of Indian and Mexican ancestry, ate lizards at the old tribal feasts. Schaefer liked to play ball, but he detested morning practice, and refused to play any position except shortstop. He would not do a \$12,000 contract at the time the new National League was boosting salaries, and quit baseball to take over a haberdashery, which his parents bought for him out of baseball. He is still running the haberdashery out on the Pacific Coast, alone with a string of stores, and is now prospering.

### LADY SWIMMER ARRIVES FOR TORONTO SWIM

NEW YORK—The smallest person who ever came within three miles of swimming the English Channel arrived in New York a few days ago on the Atlantic liner, the Miss. Miss. Miss. five feet one inch in height, and she is on her way to Toronto to take part in the female swimming marathon on August 29. She comes from South Africa.

Miss Hudson trains on chewing gum and raw meat. Gum she sticks involuntarily on a long swim and keeps the throat and mouth from becoming parched. On the voyage from Southampton she swam each morning in the ship's pool for an hour and a half without touching bottom. Before she became a professional Miss Hudson was for three years British amateur champion of springboard diving, and she has represented Great Britain in the Olympic games. Last year she tried to swim the Straits of Gibraltar, but after waiting for several months for a reasonably calm day she had to abandon the attempt.

The big race takes place over a course of ten miles. There are two races, one for women on August 29, and one for men on September 5. Originally the two events were supposed to be held but the men so far outlasted the women that it was necessary to segregate the sexes.

Georges Michel, world's champion English Channel swimmer, arrived in Canada July 30, aboard the Cunard Ascania to enter the same swim to be held at Ontario. He weighs 20 pounds less than the 268 pounds which carried him to second place in his year's swim. He is proud of this native mascot of hers.

Norman Dorian, British Empire champion of the English Channel swim, arrived in Canada at the same time as Michel aboard the Cunard Ascania to offer himself to anyone who cares to back him financially in the marathon. Failing to find a backer, he will return to England, he says. The trouble now is that several offers have been made but they cannot be located. It is thought he is "somewhere" in Toronto.

### READ THE WANT ADS.

## THE SAVINGS AND EDDINGS OF MANY PUBLIC MEN

Four short poems of Robert Burns, which for \$10,500 in London the other day. Burns died bemoaning a debt of fifty dollars. How true were his dying words to his wife: "I will be more thought of a hundred years from now, than I am today."

Toronto Telegram: Sectionalism plays a larger part in Canadian politics than ever before. Take a glance at the map. The Maritimes are solidly Tory, Quebec solidly Liberal, British Columbia is also solidly Tory while the prairies are all a prey to different forms of Liberalism. All these by large majorities. It is strange when the public interest is at stake the public interest that the House of Commons lacks color. It represents opinion in bloc—and almost anybody is qualified to do the representing.

The Rev. George Lord Andrews: "We give the people what they want, say the dramatists. Evidently! We do not give our children what they want. We do give our society what we want. Take a glance at the map. The Maritimes are solidly Tory, Quebec solidly Liberal, British Columbia is also solidly Tory while the prairies are all a prey to different forms of Liberalism. All these by large majorities. It is strange when the public interest is at stake the public interest that the House of Commons lacks color. It represents opinion in bloc—and almost anybody is qualified to do the representing."

P. A. Best: "The little purchase system makes it possible for people to improve or to start their home a manner suitable to their positions and incomes, and to have at the installment is in keeping with the income. It is, in my opinion, a sound way of doing business."

Dame Millicent Fawcett: "Morally, physically and intellectually, I think the modern girl of 21 is a credit to our country."

Irving T. Bush: "Progress is the finding of everything that is best in permanent human relationship."

David Starr Jordan: "That the vast system of the world exists is mainly due to the perversion of education."

Henry Ford: "I do not know what I can do except to keep on going."

John D. Rockefeller: "I find it very difficult to spend property."

Frank Sullivan: "If we could eliminate the 'strange hostility' from political considerations by taking away his cane, the thing would get to be half way comprehensible to the average man."

Dean Inge: "The real trend of religion among the younger people is away from dogmatic and institutional Christianity and toward an individual and personal faith, resting not on authority but on experience."

Roy L. Smith: "Difficulties have a way of increasing for the man who runs them off."

John Drinkwater: "The active thing, the people are divided into two kinds—those who wish to dominate the fellows, and those whose supreme desire is to understand them. The whole foundation of Jesus' teaching is that we should try to understand each other."

Emil F. Colbert: "All that is worth while or that really counts in this life are the good things we do today, not what we put off from time to time, nor what we expect to do tomorrow."

Sir Alfred Atia: "Education—every thing depends on that; that is where all our hopes lie."

At the meeting of the Canadian Teachers' Federation at Winnipeg there was criticism of the loan system in Alberta, whereby the government training may obtain a loan up to \$400 from the provincial government with which to meet expenses. This, it was stated, was creating a surplus, and was, under one another for positions. That the loan scheme makes it possible for many young men and women to qualify who could not otherwise do so is to be supposed.

That was the object in establishing the system in Alberta. No doubt there are a number of Alberta members of the Teachers' Alliance who owe their professional standing and their position directly to the fact that they were able to obtain this means of financial assistance in their student days. It can hardly be said with what others should be denied the help that was given to them.

That the loan system will create any great saving of teachers in the part of the Dominion is hardly likely. Now

schools are being organized in the provinces as the months pass, and settlement spreads into new areas. Large numbers of women teachers leave the profession every year to get married. A considerable number of male teachers drop out to enter other callings. In this country there is no such thing as a "fixed" demand for teachers to which the supply must be laid down in the interests of those in the profession. It is, as claimed, the rate of pay is being depressed under that can be regulated by statute. The fact that the government is unable to train teachers in training is good ground upon which to undertake such regulation, for it is the public interest that the loans be repaid within a reasonable time. That cannot be done unless salaries are maintained at a fair level.

Opponents of the Canadian Wheat Pool are already worrying over the predicament of the pool when it comes a possible wheat crop of 500,000,000 bushels with a falling market. It is predicted that the organization will lose strength and will ultimately be unable to continue operations. That is a case of borrowing trouble which is not new to the experience.

The pool may have been fortunate as well as skillful during the era of high prices of the past two or three years, but the drop of two to three cents a bushel in recent weeks causes some concern to growers and dealers in the wheat. The carry-over of 400,000 bushels for export is larger than usual, and when added to the huge crop now ripening will make a problem in selling for the next few months.

It is hinted that the "orderly marketing" methods of the pool have failed to get rid of the 1927 crop as rapidly as was desirable. It should be remembered, however, that last year's crop was late in ripening, and that continued rains further delayed the marketing of the harvest. Inevitably a large portion of the harvest, which was well above the average, was left in the farmers' hands.

Should wheat continue around \$1.25 instead of \$1.40, as of recent years, can the pool hold its members? It is instructive on this point to quote the views of Mr. Harold S. Patton, in the "Grain Growers' Cooperation in Western Canada," a Harvest University Economic Series. After an exhaustive review of the movement, Mr. Patton points out, regarding the wheat pool, that it has embodied the cooperative spirit, that "while changes in name and form of organization have not infrequently taken place, its members have been perpetually under the same conditions and policies, the enterprise themselves have been perpetually under the same conditions. In each case, moreover, the transfer has represented a more or less significant development in co-operative organization."

Pool marketing involves a principle which cannot easily be laid aside. It is a modern popular development, and in the case of wheat, it is a fact of life. It is the outgrowth of a long and bitter experience, in which the farmers have had to fight their own battle against the aggressive methods of other groups. "Under the pool system of non-profit operation and direct selling," Mr. Patton says, "the farmer is receiving, in effect, the competitive world price, less the actual cost of handling, transportation and selling. The advantage to producers lies not only in the direct returns of that portion of marketing margins which constitutes the middleman's profit, but also in further reduction of marketing costs through the potential economies of large-scale, centralized selling."

The whole principle of co-operation has stimulated a new spirit among Western farmers, and there is no reason to expect that this spirit will be endangered by the problems of a year of heavy harvest.

—Toronto Globe

### NEGOTIATE FOR COAST OUTLET REVER RIVER

VANCOUVER, B.C.—"Everybody recognizes that the time has come when the Peace River must have an outlet here," declared Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, in Vancouver. "Negotiations to that end are on, but I know very little of the details. They are in the hands of Sir Henry Thomson, what route is favored I cannot say, but I understand the P. O. E. feature in the discussion. Apparently the delay in coming to a conclusion in the railway negotiations hinges on the price to be paid for the Great Waterways line in Alberta."

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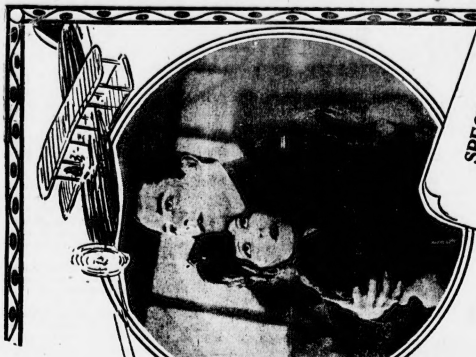
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## Strathmore School Notes and Exams

(Continued from Front Page)

ada"; Burt, "High School Physics"; McElbreen, "Introduction to Economics"; Arthimello—Stanley & Smith, "A Canadian Arithmetic for High Schools"; Physics—Mercant & Chant, "Ontario's High School Physics (Revised Edition)"; Geography—"Manual in Geography"; Geometry — Baker, "Theoretical Geometry for Schools"; Latin—Smith, "Elementary Latin"; Baker & Ingles, "Latin from Concordia"; Corneille, "Nepos, 'Life of Millicent'; Goid, 'Stories from the Metamorphoses'; French—Foster & Squair, "Complete French Grammar"; Erickman & Chalmers, "Madame Therese"; Examination Results

Grade IX

The first set of figures in the following results is units attempted, the second, units passed, and the third, average:

Jean McGregor, 7, 7, 73.7; Fred Brown, 2, 2, 69; Hazel Short, 7, 7, 68; Campbell McDonald, 6, 5, 62.4; Mavee Brown, 7, 6, 58.9; Margaret Newmeyer, 7, 6, 58; Pansy Froberger, 7, 5, 53.5; Phyllis Wether, 5, 4, 50.4; Mitchell Earlhart, 4, 2, 47; Herbert Rellinger, 7, 4, 45.

The First Year pupils wrote on 50 units, and obtained credit on 48. This is 81.6%.

Jean McGregor is the winner of the prize donated by the Trust of Strathmore Chapter of the I.O.O.F. for the

pupil obtaining the highest standing in this class. This success is well deserved as Miss McGregor did conscientiously work of a high order throughout the year.

Grade X

Leanne Bower, 8, 7, 78 (honors); Sam Slater, 6, 6, 72.5; Alberta North, 7, 7, 68; Alice Garrett, 8, 7, 64.4; Geraldine Van Tichelen, 5, 4, 56.5; Gladys Essenden, 8, 7, 54.1; Annie Callaghan, 9, 7, 53.5; Mary Rellinger, 6, 5, 48.1; Hazel Froberger, 8, 5, 48; Harold Gerrard, 6, 2, 36.

Grade X attempted 71 units and passed in 56. This is 78.9%.

It is impossible yet to publish the standing of the mixed IX and X class as two pupils have not yet been heard from. It is hoped to publish this next week, together with summary of results.

### DALEMAN

Miss Mary Adams, who has been operated upon for appendicitis, is improving. Her many friends will be pleased to hear of her rapid recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van der Velde returned from a few days outing at Banff and other points.

A big majority of the Dalemans people attended the Langdon Fair, and received a number of prizes for their exhibits.

Mr. August Geisrich, Earl Ratches and Walter Anderson returned from their motor trip to the Peace River country, and can tell some thrilling experiences.

John Van der Velde, Gerald Van

der Velde and Elmer Ayers spent a few days at High River fishing.

The U.F.W.A. meeting was held at the Hall on Thursday. Mrs. B. Thompson gave a very interesting account of her trip to Alaska.

### ARENODE U.F.W.A.

The regular meeting of the U.F.W.A. was held at the home of the President, Mrs. C. Dawson.

The usual business was attended to, and a very interesting bulletin written by Mrs. Wynan on Legislative Affairs was read and each new amendment was thoroughly discussed by the ladies.

Mrs. Flinth, who was a delegate to Bow River Constituency Convention in Strathmore, gave a full report which was discussed. Mrs. Jessen then gave a very edifying paper on "Sinning Fruit and Vegetables," and several useful hints, which were enjoyed by all.

The next meeting to be held at home of Mrs. Geo. Dawson, date to be set later. Mrs. Rodard to entertain with the program.

A delicious luncheon was then served by our hostess.

U.S. POST OFFICE HAS \$100,000,000 DEFICIT

WASHINGTON—Reuter—General News forecasts a deficit of more than \$100,000,000 for the post office department during the fiscal year 1929 based on estimates of pay in increase totalling \$77,600,000, a loss of revenue through lowered rates of \$14,000,000 and increased pay to railroads of \$15,000,000.

## -: Local Jottings :-

Honouring Mr. "Red" McKeechie, a popular groomelet, a little house party was given on Saturday night at the home of Charles Cowell. A social hour was spent, and good wishes expressed for the popular draught, Bob Hamby and Billy Gray assisted with the cakes and loes.

At the Standard baseball tournament, Strathmore brought home the bacon, defeating Rockydon in the final game 12 to 8.

Following the example set by his late partner, John Downie, of Glenora, Bob Salomon has, it is reported, joined the army of jackdaws down among the oranges, palms and alligators of Florida. Bob's old-time partner in Strathmore are extending to him their best wishes.

Last week Patrick & Wilkinson, house decorators, were busily engaged with their work at the C.P.I.D. headquarters, when "Bill" Wilkinson discovered an infatuated animal snafu where he was employed. With lightning speed and rare judgment, Bill came to a decision that snafu was needed, and he made his way in record time to Mr. E. W. O. Whiteside's office, and impressed upon Ernie the need for quick action. Ernie grabbed his trusty shotgun and proceeded cautiously to the danger zone. "Bill" pointed out where the "blinking beast" was located, and Ernie, with a skilful and steady aim that would have made William Tell jealous, brought his gun into action—BANG!—and in a few seconds the "brute" was laid in death. "Bill" cautiously advanced from the zone of safety and emerged carrying the remains of a beautiful little skunk. Ben Fossenden is up in arms about destroying the little "pest" so close to his residence. "Gone, but not forgotten."

Mrs. T. H. Evans and Emily, of Hanna, spent the last month at Buffalo Lake.

R. J. Kearns has been much interested in the securities for Strathmore as one of the artillery units, which are being changed through the Ministry of Defence No. 12, with headquarters at Calgary. Mr. Kearns was informed by Colonel A. M. Nalanth, M.C., commanding officer of the district that he felt sure that the 51st Canadian Field Battery would be located in Strathmore. That that nothing will be completed until after the Sarcee Camp. The young men of the district are much interested, and will no doubt furnish a number of bright artillerymen for this very interesting branch of the service.

Carleton defeated the Strathmore baseball team on Sunday, 9 to 2. Goertin and Phillips doing the arduous work for Carleton, while Ernie Grellin and Miller in the points for the local players. Leonard Van Tighem played centre field for Strathmore.

Miss R. Fleming, of Youngstown, is the guest of Miss Marion Lilly.

"Dinky" Moore has joined the ancient and Accepted Order of Respected Rattlers. Mr. and Mrs. Moore are receiving congratulation upon the birth of a baby girl last week. Call any time at Walter's Garage, where "Dinky" is handing out some of "Bob" Hamby's finest Perfector.

Remember the big Barn Dance at Namaka (Emil Matichuk's farm, formerly known as Green's No. 2) on Wednesday, August 22. Tickets, gentlemen \$1.00, ladies 50c, supper included. Premier's orchestra.

Mrs. R. W. Gardner and two children have been the guests of Mrs. Hector McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Patrick accompanied by their son, George, motored to Calgary on Sunday.

Wilfred Gardner spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Arnold and daughter, of Milk River, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour and two daughters, of Calgary, and Mr. Gordon McIntyre, of Valson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn, who are at present in New York, are expected home shortly.

Mrs. Hector McGregor entertained at a very jolly children's party in honour of Master Allister McGregor's eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones are in Vancouver for a few days.

Mr. Thornhill, formerly of the C.P.R. Supply Farm staff was in town over the week end, renewing acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry are leaving shortly for a trip to Chicago and Eastern points.

Mrs. William Davidson, accompanied by her two children, are the guests of Mrs. Walter McLean.

The annual picnic of the United Church was held in Lumbert Park last week. The weatherman smiled his warmest smile, contributing largely to the success of the afternoon. Rev. Williamson, assisted by Mr. Marsh very ably conducted the races, which were keenly contested. Later delicious refreshments were served and thoroughly enjoyed by the children and their parents.

Miss M. E. Gibson, of Beiseker, spent the week end in town.

Mr. W. McKeen has joined the staff of the Strathmore Trading Company.

W. Kearns, of Calgary, is spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kearns.

Leslie West was in town on Wednesday, and very enthusiastic about the big Barn Dance at Namaka on Wednesday August 22 under the auspices of the Namaka Curling Club. "Bill" Saunders left on Tuesday for Calgary, where his marriage is to take place on Wednesday. Bill has kept his friends on the "qui vive" for several months, quietly accumulating his household effects, and now that he has the "nest" all completed, he bids him self away, and will spend the honeymoon in B.C. town.

Mr. Ronald Waldron, 18, who has been visiting at the Zerkie home, has the distinction of winning the R. B. Bennett gold medal prize for violin playing at the Calgary Musical Festival two seasons ago, when he was only sixteen years old. Mr. Waldron is the proud possessor of a four hundred dollar violin. Mr. Waldron has been a student at the McGill University of Montreal.

Conversations are being offered to A. V. McFarland, manager of the local telephone exchange, in again winning the competition held among the telephone exchanges of the Province for the most beautiful hook grounds. "Mac" captured the trophy

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two years ago, and has his plans already made to repeat in 1929.

On Wednesday morning, Elsie, sister of Al Carleen, met with a very painful accident, quite simple. She was driving to town and skidding some of her friends, accidentally struck herself with the whip on the forehead. Dr. Furst was called and dressed the wound, and hopes to have her fixed up within a few days.

Mr. Alfredo Gerard, who has been visiting a few days at the Zerkie home, played with the famous Australian Band, which made such a wonderful record in Calgary. Mr. Gerard also played last season at Banff, and has been a member of the Capitol Theatre orchestra in Calgary.

Mr. George Williamson, of Prince Edward Island, has arrived in town, and is the guest of his cousin, Rev. J. N. Williamson, for a few days, after which he will visit Banff, and if the situation warrants it, will turn in and give a hand with the big harvest, and show Westerners how they do things in "Spud Island".

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### REGULAR MEETING M. D. GRASSWOLD

A regular meeting of the M. D. of Grasswold was held on the 4th of August. Minutes of previous meeting were approved as read. All members were present.

The question of appropriation of road in connection with government grant was fully discussed, due to the fact that the balance of grant would have to be spent in district 5, and that all funds appropriated in said district were exhausted, therefore, he is resolved that the Council hereby appropriate out of general funds the sum of \$1000.00 to be put with the Government grant and complete road from Wells corner north to Holland. Bylaws 50 and 51 relative to road diversion were introduced in open council, and after three readings were duly passed.

It was on motion decided that John Vert be given use of road allowance joining section 20-22-24, due to the fact that Mr. Vert donated land for road diversion in lieu of said road. It was on motion decided that road diversion be cancelled in lieu of diversion made on west side of route, and that said lands amounting to 450 acres revert to said quarter on condition that Mr. Duckwold will reimburse the council for the original amount paid for said quarter on condition that the council hereby agree to pay at the rate of \$25.00 per acre for land expropriated for road in sections 12 and 25-21-14, amounting to 2484 acres, also lands expropriated for the S. 1/4 of 20-26-214, amounting to 418 acres at the rate of \$25.00 per acre.

The financial statement of the secretary for the month of July was then read and accepted, and ordered placed on file for future reference. It was moved and carried that the secretary is hereby instructed to advise the Camrose School District No. 4000 taxes collected in the year 1927, amounting to \$490.62.

An account was introduced by Mr. Hamner for fills made in District No. 2 at the rate of 25c per yard, after full discussion, it was on motion decided that due to the fact that a resolution had been passed that say fill under 500 feet would be set off for at the rate of 20c per cubic yard, and the secretary is hereby instructed to pay said bill at the rate of 20c per yard.

Mr. Kehoe being present at the meeting representing a number of ratepayers, relative to a road diversion sectioned for. This diversion would be on land owned by Mrs. H. Horn, and the seriously objected to having a road pass through her land. The council then adjourned to interview Mrs. Horn re this petition. It was then on motion decided that the matter lay over for a time. Meeting then adjourned.

### Municipal District of Grasswold, No. 248

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that One Black Pony, branded W2 bar below on left hind, was impounded in the pound kept by Axel A. Larsen, located on N.W. 10-25-22 on the 19th day of July, 1925, and that the said animal may be redeemed by the owner, or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.  
E. W. PUST,  
Secretary-Treasurer  
Rockyford, Alberta.

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### SEA GIVES UP SECRET

LONDON—A bottle washed up on the shore near Flint, North Wales, contained a note on which was written, "Good-bye, all." Beneath the brief message were signed the names Philo Mackay and Captain Hinchinble, and beneath the names the words, "Down in fog and storm."

### Municipal District of Grasswold, No. 248

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that One Gray Mare, branded on right hind, was impounded in the pound kept by Axel A. Larsen, located on N.W. 10-25-22, on the 19th day of July, 1925, and that the said animal may be redeemed by the owner, or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

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### ROSEBUD

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones Thursday, August 9, at the home of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McNeil.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Vignar have been spending their holidays at Waterton Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brunner and Mr. Geo. Gies, now have returned from Bowden and Edmonton.

A most enjoyable time was had at the Pioneer Picnic held at the local camp on Friday last. It was a real get acquainted party, and all felt it a day well spent. The free ice cream soon cooled in the town kids' who had many come on. Mr. Pust, who had some secured several singers to the Wheat Pool.

Mrs. J. Sangster entertained the children at a party on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Simpson has her sister, Miss Kearns, visiting her.

Letters from Miss Georgia Kemp, who is visiting in New York City, report very hot weather, and that the theatres are the coolest places to pass the time. She expects to visit in Connecticut soon.

Mr. Geo. Deise has begun his duties traveling for the Western Grazing Co.

Miss Elsie Kautz is visiting in Vancouver and Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell spent Sunday in Beiseker at the home of their son, P. L. Campbell.

We understand that H. Hudson has his eyes on a permanent housekeeper from Calgary. Maybe he will be able to get that gravel with the tractor soon!

A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hart, of "Hartland", last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clark and daughters were at Pine Lake last week.

### EXTENSION OF SPECIAL COAL RATES ASKED

EDMONTON—"I am convinced that the government will grant an extension of the time for shipments of Alberta coal to the Ontario market—three months from May to August—because the province of Alberta will be shipping millions of tons of coal to the east, and that, instead of being a reason why coal production will have steady employment to many thousands of workers throughout the year," declared Jesse Ganger, Drumheller coal operator, on Tuesday.

"The shipment of coal from May to August is made at the worst possible time of the year. It is practically impossible to sell coal during these months, and for that reason I contend that the coal shipments are not getting a fair chance for success."

"If the government can extend the time for the making of shipments for the next two years of the present special rate agreement, and if in that period the coal operators are not able to make the shipping of coal to Ontario a success, the coal operators of the province would cease to demand any further assistance; but we know that if given this long shipment period

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that we can make a success of the scheme," continued Mr. Ganger. He expressed the opinion that the railway would find no difficulty in handling the shipments to be made subject to the requirements of the railway for the grain movement.

**GIRL BRINGS FLOWERS  
FOR THE KING**

ROSTHERN, Sask.—Here are some flowers for the king. A little girl stood at the door of Premier Macleod's private car, which was waiting on a siding at Rosthern early this morning. In her hands she cradled a large bouquet of beautiful flowers. She held them out to Mr. King's secretary. The prime minister, who had not completed dressing, was advised of this early morning gift. He emerged from his state room, clad in a dressing gown and took the flowers. It was a beautiful bouquet, he told the little girl. Then Mr. King asked the child's name. It was Mary Eukowski, she said. She was a daughter of the secretary foreman here who cultivated a garden of flowers in his spare time. Mary went away with an autographed copy of Premier King's photograph.

**TALK ABOUT RECORDS,  
NOW'S THIS ONE?**

McGOWMEY, Ala.—The largest record in a criminal case ever prepared in Alabama has been placed before Attorney General Charlie McCall. It is the record of the trial of Henry K. Blake, former chief of police of Calera, who was acquitted on a murder charge in Shelby county court. The record consists of 20 volumes.

**HUSBAND WHO TAKES  
BEAUTY COURSE SUED**

YOUNGTOWN, O.—Councilman Thomas W. Robertson, frequently a beauty parlor to have his hair styled and to receive other attention, his wife, Edith Y. Robertson, alleges a petition for alimony filed in Common Pleas Court. The wife says she will name the beauty parlor operator in court if requested to do so.

**VISITING CANADA**



The three daughters of the Rt. Hon. J. Ramsay MacDonald, former Premier of Great Britain, who are visiting Canada with their father. The photograph, taken aboard the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France" shows, from left, who is a second year medical student; Isabel, eldest daughter—the youngest member of the London County Council; and Sheila, the youngest, who is still at school.

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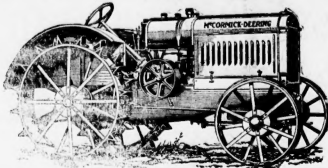
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### HEARD ON THE STREET

Small Boy: "They call a man's wife his better half, don't they, dad?"  
"Yes, my boy."

"Well, then, if a man gets married twice, there isn't much left of him, is there, dad?"

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"Dad," said Vincent to his father, who was gardening, "I put this seed in the ground would it come up?"

"Certainly, my boy!"

"And would tomatoes grow on it?"

"After a time."

"That's very wonderful, isn't it, dad?"

"Yes, my boy."

"Especially," said Vincent, "as it's a cabbage seed!"

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"Has my boy," wrote the proud parent, "a natural bent in any one direction?"

"He has," replied Mr. Crowther.

"He gives every indication of being an industrial magnate some day. He gets the other boys to do all his work for him."

"The play isn't at all true to life. The wife continually asks for money."

"Which is quite natural."

"But she gets it."

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Mr. Hollinger: "Can you tell me how a dove pipe is made?"

Herb Ellis: "First you take a big, long hole. Then you wrap some tin around it."

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Excited Person (complaining to postmaster Martin): "And if I don't get better service, I shall give my postal business to someone else."

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Jim Gannon: "Do you like the jazz?"

She: "No, I prefer music."

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A Calgary business man tests applicants for the position of stenographer by requesting them to write the following sentence:

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Meeting his pet enemy on Main Street one day, Jim observed affably: "I was saying some good things about you to a man this morning."

"You were?"

"Yes," I said you had the best cattle and sheep of any farmer I knew. And what was more, I said that pair of horses of yours was the finest in Frankie County—worth at least \$200."

"Who'd you say it to?" queried the flattered foe.

"The tax assessor."

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Casey Nerring was almost broken-

hearted about his heavy losses on the ponies, but he found there was plenty of sympathy for him among the boys.

Charlie Keeling was particularly kind.

"Cheer up, old chap!" he cried.

"You mustn't worry too much about a little bad luck. Come along with me in the morning and I will give you a few pointers."

Casey, however, was not easily cheered.

"Very kind of you," he began. "But I can't, pointers I'm after; it's re- trievers."

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Doctor: "Has there ever been any insanity in your family?"

Modern Wife: "Well, my husband thinks he has."

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Lester: "That car I bought from you won't go."

Nels White: "Well, you said you wanted one that wouldn't run much gasoline."

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Alonso, leaning with his hands on his knees, replied to the dentist.

"Great heavens!" exclaimed the dentist as his victim sank into the operating chair. "Did you have any advice about these terrible teeth?"

"Yes," replied Patterson, "I want to remind you that I'm not a dentist."

"And what idiotic thing did he tell you to do?" he inquired.

"To come to you!" murmured Pat- ternson.

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"How are you really surprised, my dear?" asked the dentist, who was

"Not now, but I suppose she did one day."

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"These are the very latest patterns we have in stock," declared Jim Weir. "You'll notice that the edge runs right around the border," he continued smoothly, "and the centre is just in the middle."

"How lovely," exclaimed his rather fussy customer. "I'll have two of those."

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Two flappers on a golf course were discussing their best scores. One of them claimed to have gone round in 83.

"The other turned impudently to her caddy. 'What did I go round in yesterday?'"

"Ah! no 'shair,'" came the answer. "But Ah think it was in a red sweater on a certain 'tan o' shanter."

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"The animal trainer having taken ill, his wife reported for duty in his stead."

"Have you any experience in this line?" asked the proprietor of the circus, doubtfully.

"Not exactly in this line," replied the woman; "but my husband man- ages the beasts all right, doesn't he?"

"He certainly does."

"Well, you ought to see how easily I manage him!"

A Dundee couple had a purpose of marriage in their hearts, but as they were not members of any church a difficulty arose regarding the minister who would officiate.

Jock said he would see what could be done, and next night he informed the bride-to-be that it was all right.

"As I went down Union Street yesterday," he said, "I saw a kirk and the notice, 'United Free.'"

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The conjurer made a worried search through his clothes, turning up all his pockets inside out, and bringing forth, among other things, a rabbit, a potted geranium, three Union Jacks, a drum, seven eggs, a bird in a cage, two Sulina pigs and a bowl of goldfish.

"There!" he triumphantly exclaimed to his wife who had been watching him with grim suspicion. "I told you I was positive I had posted your letters this morning!"

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When Betty came in from the children's party she had attended her mother said: "Well, daughter, did you have a nice time?"

"Oh, yes," said Betty enthusiastically. "It was the best party I ever attended."

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Bill Harrison, burdened with a bag of golf clubs, was trudging homeward when he was overtaken by a friend.

"Well," asked the latter, "how did you get on today?"

"Not too badly," returned Harrison. "I took sixty-three."

"Sixty-three!" exclaimed the other. "Why it's wonderful for a beginner!"

"I thought so, too," replied Harrison. "Not now, but I'm going to try the second hole tomorrow."

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Child (with a penny in spend): "How many of these sweets do I get for a penny?"

R. H. Patterson: "Oh, six or seven."

Child: "I'll take seven, then, please."

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Magistrate: "Speaking, oh? How many times have you been before me?"

Frank Clutche: "Never, your Honor. I've tried to pass you on the road once or twice, but my bus will do only fifty-five."

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Magistrate: "What proof have you that this chauffeur was intoxicated?"

Constable Harrison: "He stopped his car at a drinking trough for horses."

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Mother: "My dear boy, never put it off tomorrow what can be done today."

Hector: "Let's eat the jam tart to- night."

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Madge: "There's that young man who was so attentive to me last summer."

Helen: "Is it still 'Two souls with but a single thought'?"

Madge: "Why, yes, I think so—how

to avoid each other."

Henry Allen Wilson, secretary of the New England Anti-Tobacco League, said in an address in Portland:

"Carefully compiled statistics show us that for every cigar a man smokes he shortens his life three days, while with every cigarette he shortens his life a week."

At the print a prominent Portland physician rose in the rear of the hall.

"Are these statistics absolutely ac- curate?" he asked.

"Absolutely, sir," said Secretary Wilson. "Why?"

"Because it's rather important," ex- plained the physician. "You see, if your statistics are accurate, I've been dead over 30 years."

Lentil Leonard: "No man with any sense would allow you to carry on the way you do."

"His Placence!" "How do you know what a man with any sense would do?"

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The teacher was telling her open- eyed class about the dolphin and its habits.

"And children," she said impres- sively, "just think, a single dolphin will have two thousand baby dolphins."

"Goodness!" exclaimed the bright- little girl at the bottom of the class, "and how many of the married ones have?"

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Haze: "I thought you promised me that you wouldn't smoke any more."

Betty: "I did."

"But you are smoking as much as ever."

"Well, that isn't any more, is it?"

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A Scotchman recently said a base- ball company because he was hurt while watching a ball game. He fell out of a tree.

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PETTING PARTIES MAKES PEEVISH PERSONS PROTEST

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SEATTLE—Petting parties who have invaded the secluded sandy eyes of the Seattle cemeteries after dark, and who, for the past six months, have become a menace to cemetery man- agers, now must find another place to do their love-making.

This, cemetery managers have agreed. And to this end, Molly, a big, burly building, is now on the job at Acadia park.

Molly has been taught to chase the love-stricken swains from behind the decorative shrubbery into the light of the shining moon—if any. She is not averse to grabbing a portion of the love-stricken swain, if the nocturnal and nooks can be rid of the invaders.

"We put Molly on the job," the cemetery manager said, "only after the night watchman had complained

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keep the trespassers out with the water hose."

"As soon as the cars would drive in and park in a shady place the hose would be turned on them."

This had no effect. The lovers would hurriedly grind their windows up and come back later in the evening when they thought they could escape the eyes of the watchman. Molly has settled the question with us, however. No spouters get by her.

Cemeteries all over the city have been troubled with the same situation, it was said today.

Their shrubbery and trees, their quiet peacefulness under the light of the moon, make them particularly inviting to young people bent on getting managers declare.

"Nocturnal petters are all right in their place," one cemetery official declared, "but their place is certainly not in the city of the dead. We do not propose to give any more warn- ing to those who stoop so low as to desecrate such a sacred spot."

"Those who violate the rules must take their punishment."

According to word received recently from the east, petting in cemeteries has become a national problem.

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INVENTS WEED MACHINE

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BIRMINGHAM—An invention, which may lead to the eradication of nox- ious weeds from Alberta and a con- sequent saving of millions of dollars a year to the farmers of the province has been completed by D. W. Warner, prominent old timer of Clover Bar.

The new invention, or Warner No. 1 Cultivator, is the result of much research and application of the fruits of years of experience gained by the inventor in combating the noxious weed menace.

The machine has been designed primarily to overcome the menace of quack grass, now and Canadian thistle.

Mr. Warner says: "I have found in my experience much satisfac- tion to work out to originate a machine and years ago and since have built it. The one I have finally developed I feel is the best for the purpose for which it was in- vented and I."

I am anxious to have the approval or disapproval of the public of this machine as it is possible and am specially invited in the opinions of farmers implement dealers.

Speaking the machine and its operation, Warner said it consisted of a single cylinder with spikes conical to a treshing machine and so that it would knock out and roots throwing both rapidly. The earth being heavier the roots, would fall first and this almost invariably would fall, leaving them to dry and be killed by the sun. It might be necessary rather and take the weeds off of it or it might be suffi- cient to allow them to dry in the sun if the weeds were suitable rather than to expense of gathering them.

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RETURNS, FINDS MARRIED AGAIN

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EVANSTON—Clarence Lamb thirty-five, left Evanston to permit his wife and their eleven-year-old son to enjoy hap- piness for he left them nine years ago.

For those since 1919 Lamb came to fill looking for his family. Neither, Louise, was attending. Before returning home he had new dress, toys and cashmere was no remission with the Mrs. Lamb.

She stated a divorce, and re- married, wished the couple and his disappearance and left for Texas.

### "Stands Scotland Where It Did?" Ayddie!

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SCOTTISH PIPE BAND AT A DANCE

Scotch bagpipes has played even longer, will again recede in the Canadian Rockies, making them more prominent in the Rockies. Initiated last year under the patronage of the Prince of Wales, the festival was quickly established as a Canadian institution, with reg- ular piping, contests, athletic games, folk songs and Highland dances—all as old as Scotland herself. Notable among the musical features ar- ranged by Harold Duncan, Key, man- ager of the Canadian Pacific, is the special performance of "The Jolly Beggar," a cantata writ- ten by Burns and music by Sir Henry Bishop. At the daily concert in the hotel ballroom notable Canadian ar- tists will sing the folk songs of Scot- land, and Scottish Canadian ladies will join their ladies in the high- land fling, the sword dance, the well- known, the Scotch and the Scotch- man's war.

The program of Scottish music are drawn up in historical sequence, be- ginning with the old ballads of the 15th, 16th and 17th centuries, fol- lowed by groups from the period of Mary Queen of Scots, the Elizabethan and Jacobite, selections from the songs of Burns, Sir Walter Scott, Lady Macbeth, "Christopher North," as well as the modern music. The program is made popular by Margaret Kennedy of Prince.

Casey Nerring was almost broken-



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### ELWOOD

School will reopen September 14th.  
Miss Angelina Blais, who has been  
attending the Notre Dame Convent  
near Edmonton, will leave shortly for  
Three Rivers, Quebec, for further  
training.

Miss Pauline Smith has been en-  
gaged as teacher for the coming year.  
Miss Smith has had seven years' ex-  
perience, having taught at Hammer-  
hill, Strathmore and three years at  
Oida.

There is some kind of a worm do-  
ing great damage to the poplar trees,  
cleaning up a twenty-foot tree in a  
few days. Paris Green kills them, but  
is difficult to apply owing to their  
shape of only working on the under

side of the leaves. The worms are  
about three-quarters of an inch long.

It. Hanson applied a mixed truck  
load to the Alberta Livestock Feed  
Garrison's Cartage came down after  
them.

Mr. A. Blais was a Calgary visitor  
last week.

The trustees of the school met last  
Wednesday. Only routine business  
occupied the meeting.

Grain is turning fast, some fields  
look like they are ready for the bin-  
ders now.

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### A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

— O —  
Many of our cars are but a  
morbidity of looking at our  
privileges.—Scott.

### HARVESTERS NOT TO BE THROWN ON SCRAPHEAP

A sufficiency of labor for the com-  
ing harvest season assured by the  
sending of ten thousand of Britain's  
unemployed to Canada to help out.  
We in Canada should feel both grate-  
ful and proud at the knowledge of so  
beautiful a harvest. Truly Provi-  
dence is good to this Canada of ours  
and we go marching steadily forward  
to our peaceful place in the sun, the  
envy of some nations, maybe, but the  
envy of none.

While all of us will rejoice that  
there will be no shortage of labor for  
the gathering in of the harvest, there  
is another cause for rejoicing and that  
is in the fact that the British and  
Canadian governments, and our rail-  
ways, appear to have undertaken to  
see that the harvesters, when their  
harvesting jobs are finished, shall not  
be thrown on the industrial scrap  
heap to languish Canada's unemployed  
army. The scandal of a few years  
ago, when many of the men from the  
old country were left here stranded  
high and dry, has not been forgotten.

There is much to be said for the  
idea expressed in London that, as far  
as possible, harvesters should be sent  
out here on this harvesting job. They  
should make good harvesters, being  
strong, hardworking, and eager for a  
new chance. When the harvest is  
gathered in, many of these men could  
easily be absorbed in our mining in-  
dustry. We are too, at all times, in  
need of men to enter into competition  
with the coal miners of Canada.  
Where they would fit in best would  
probably be in the new mines and camps,  
where men are digging for gold, cop-  
per, silver, lead, and other metals,  
an industry which has made such  
tremendous strides in the past few  
years.

Every one comes will create wealth.  
He will not only be a wage-earner, but  
a wage-saver. His family will soon  
follow him. The Prince of Wales on his  
last visit to Canada spoke of this  
Dominion as "The great uncharted  
reef of wealth which is Canada".  
Men are needed to exploit our tre-  
mendous natural resources, and to  
bring this country realize its high  
destiny as one of the most prosperous  
countries of the world, where all  
men are equal and free.

### SPLENDID EFFORT MADE TOWARDS UNIVERSAL PEACE

A great thing is happening in the  
world but for some peculiar reason  
much attention is being paid to it.  
The nations of the world, due to the  
wise and statesmanlike action of  
Secretary Kellogg, are settling together  
to outlaw war. That is a stupendous  
fact, one of the greatest facts of all  
history. Never before in the history  
of the human race has so far human-  
ity today are aware, have the differ-  
ent countries of the earth come so  
near to the establishment of univer-  
sal peace. For centuries we have  
been either making war upon one  
another, preparing for war with each  
other, or else recovering  
amongst ourselves. What idleness!

Now, at long last, the viewpoint is  
changing. Men and women—perhaps  
it should be men, women and men for  
women save the truth first—we have  
found the facility or war. War settles  
nothing; solves no problems, ends no  
disputes, causes no kindness but im-  
poses them instead, never conquers  
anybody, for the spirit of man is in-  
conquerable, and in a word it is a  
ter waste of men, wealth, time, energy  
and all that goes into the making of

war. War is always destructive,  
never constructive. At the end of  
any war the parties to it have to get  
together around a table and discuss  
the matters in dispute. The right  
policy is to sit around a table, first  
and fight afterwards; better still, to  
not fight at all.

Not everybody, probably, will see  
this happy outcome of the efforts to  
bring about the outlawing of war.  
The professional soldiers will still  
want to see standing armies maintain.  
The makers of munitions, the  
builders of ships of war, and all the  
greedy hordes of army contractors who  
profit in the blood of men will still  
preach about the glory of war, the  
heroism of our soldiers (which nobody  
will dispute) and the necessity of war  
as a reorganization of the nation to  
higher things.

Every Canadian will rejoice in the  
knowledge that not only Canada but  
all the other nations comprising this  
commonwealth of nations which is the  
British Empire have signified their  
willingness to enter into the holy  
compact of no more war. That is a  
glorious step to give the world. This  
great assemblage of free nations, the  
most free-thinking of all the na-  
tions of the earth, nations which have  
proved their prowess on many a  
battlefield, speak as one and say,  
"Yes, we are for world peace". Truly  
is the British Empire a league of  
nations that gives a lead to all the  
nations of the earth. We who believe  
in it may feel proud that when one  
nation proposes the outlawing of war  
all the nations which are blood kin to  
crave her hand in ready willingness  
to stand for the peace of the world.

### CRICKET

STRATHMORE BEATS INGLEWOOD  
This interesting league match was  
played at Riley Park on Saturday  
evening after Inglewood's fine per-  
formance against the Canadian Legion  
in holding the latter to a very close  
victory in their afternoon game.  
Strathmore, it will be remembered,  
held the Legion to a tie in their match  
here.

Inglewood opened with Burton,  
a former Strathmore man, and Chapman.  
Burton played a careful lining of 25  
and though only five wickets fell for  
49 runs, Patterson, by good bowling  
dismissed the remaining batsmen for a  
total of 104.

Strathmore were left with only an  
hour to make the runs, and losing  
Kushin and Mallory in trying to force  
the pace. At 15 Inglewood's chances  
looked good for a win. However,  
Wootton and Kent, 29 and 53, both not  
out, by sound and strenuous bat-  
ting in the falling light, hit off the runs  
and passed Inglewood's total without  
further loss. Strathmore winning by  
eight wickets and five runs.

The fall score follows:

Union c. Kushin b. Patterson	25
Chapman b. Wootton	19
Rose c. Wootton b. Patterson	14
Coldwell b. Patterson	0
Legge, not out	5
Altwood b. Kent	29
Langham b. Patterson	8
Knuckled b. Patterson	2
Legge, not out	53
Clements b. Patterson	2
Cross b. Patterson	3
Extras	10

TOTAL Strathmore

Knuckled b. Clements 12 || Mallory b. Clements | 5 |
Wootton, not out	39
Kent, not out	53
Extras	2

TOTAL Inglewood

Slater, Wootton, Page, Mercer, Patterson,  
Slater, Lambert, and Wootton Jr. did  
not bat.



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visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
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Mr. Lay has left on a two weeks va-  
cation, and Mr. Gillis is the relief  
agent in his place. Mrs. Gillis ar-  
rived Saturday to join him.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntington and  
daughter, of Calgary, were guests at  
the home of Smitton & Funks over  
Sunday.

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visited his brother over the week end.

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